

☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 15 pages.

☒ Application Data Sheet.

☐ Newly executed/unexecuted Declaration (original/copy).

☒ Copy of Declaration from prior application.

☐ Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).

☒ 3 sheets of drawings (formal).

☐ Transmittal Letter Accompanying Submission of Compact Disc in Accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.52(e), plus two identical compact discs (for computer program Appendix)

☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:

☐ Computer readable copy ☐ Paper Copy ☐ Verified Statement.

☐ Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention

☐ Name of Assignee: Aeterna Laboratories

☒ Certified copy of Canadian Application No. 2,199,694 filed March 11, 1997 is filed: ☐ herewith or ☒ in prior application 09/393,037.

☐ Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27 as ☐ an Independent Inventor, or ☐ a Small Business Concern, or ☐ a Non-Profit Organization.

☒ Preliminary Amendment.

- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A & 08B, and cited references.
☐ Request for Nonpublication of Application Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)
☐ Other:

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- ☐ The Commissioner is not authorized to charge the filing fee at this time as we elect to defer payment of the entire filing fee until receipt of a Notice to File Missing Parts.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 824.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit **Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 014985.0006)** as noted below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☐ Filing fee in the amount of \$ _____ as calculated above.
- ☒ Any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17.
- ☒ In the event that a Petition for Extension of Time is required during the prosecution of this application, but not submitted, please charge any extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to our Deposit Account noted above.

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